

## The Palatka News and Advertiser

### City Happenings and Personal Mention.

Adna Johnson of Edgar is in the city this week.

Mrs. F. H. Hafer goes to Lake City this evening.

James Fry has gone out of the jewelry business.

E. Dancy of Orange Mills, was in the city last Sunday.

Capt. Harris, of Lake City, spent a day here last week.

Herbert Perry, of Pomona, was in town Saturday evening.

Al Rogers of Tifton, Ga., spent Sunday here with relatives.

W. Hobbs of McMeekin, was a business visitor here on Tuesday.

John Hancock of Bostwick, spent a part of the week in the city.

Mr. Tucker of Florahome, was a visitor in the city Monday.

Howard Trueman spent Sunday with his parents on the Heights.

Emmett Weller has accepted a clerkship in the City Drug Store.

G. K. Flanders of Rocky Point, was a visitor to the city Saturday.

W. H. Dixon, a citizen of Ocala, was a visitor to Palatka Saturday.

Wm. Baughman has accepted a position in John Bond's Racket Store.

Capt. H. Y. Snow and a party of friends enjoyed a sail on the river Saturday.

J. E. Lane of Putnam Hall is here attending court and picking up information.

G. Loper Bailey spent the first four days of the present week in Atlanta on business.

Chas. Neck has gone to Daytona, where he has employment in a wood-working establishment.

W. L. Cheeves is going to be identified with U. J. White's big enterprises on Haw Creek.

I. M. Meyer has ordered a number of full height counter show cases for his clothing establishment.

T. F. Baker and W. E. Bailey were among the Satsuma Heights citizens to visit the city this week.

T. V. Hinks the leading merchant of Satsuma Heights spent a couple of days in the city this week.

W. M. Williams the well-known ex-tax assessor is down from his home in San Mateo doing jury duty.

The merry-go-round has pulled stakes and emigrated to fields anew and pastures green—there was nothing doing here.

Jack Green, a popular citizen of Fort Gates, and known at all river landings, is in town this week attending court.

D. B. Paxton and son Haywood Paxton, the big turpentine operators at Dupont, are here this week attending the circuit court.

I. Meyer, a wholesale jeweler of Baltimore, was in the city two or three days last week on a visit to his brother, L. M. Meyer.

Tax Assessor Bullard of McMeekin, the man who pulled the heaviest vote in Putnam county at the recent election, is in the city to-day.

Dennis Kellum, an erstwhile Palatka boy but now of the Jacksonville fire department, was in the city Tuesday greeting old time friends.

Mr. Bell, a prominent merchant of New Smyrna, and family, passed through the city Wednesday, being en route home from Jacksonville.

Mrs. G. M. Davis returned home Thursday from High Springs, after a visit of three weeks at that place with her daughter, Mrs. E. J. Smith.

G. C. Crum, A. C. L. agent here, has returned from Valdosta, where he acted as secretary of the horse department at the Georgia State Fair.

Capt. Walter M. Davis, of Jacksonville, is here this week in attendance upon the circuit court, being the attorney in several important cases.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rowton came up from Jacksonville Sunday afternoon on the steamer Crescent for a short stay with Judge and Mrs. C. I. Rowton.

J. A. Icenhour, representing the E. O. Painter Fertilizer Co. of Jacksonville, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Icenhour is one of the most expert orange growers in the state.

Mesdames L. A. Boughton and B. C. Lanning and little Oma Davis, went to Bridgeport, Fla., yesterday, where Mrs. Boughton will open her beautiful winter home. Mrs. Lanning will stay for a short visit.

The spelling bee, musicale and dance which was to have been given Friday night by the Woman's Fortnightly Club at the Armory, will not materialize, the same having been postponed indefinitely.

The front and side of the Putnam Pharmacy is being treated to a new dressing of paint this week, and when finished will present a pleasing appearance. The proprietor, Mr. J. L. Burt, is up-to-date or nothing.

Mallory Flowers for a number of years a valued clerk in Walter Thomas' grocery store, has severed his connection and left last week for Dupont, Fla., at which place he has accepted a similar position in the business of U. J. White, the well-known sawmill man. The best wishes of a whole lot of friends here accompany "Cricket" wherever he may go.

John A. Knight of McMeekin, is doing jury duty this week for the first time in his 20 years residence in the county. Mr. Knight states that he expects to change his residence to Edgar in about two weeks.

C. E. Rowton is giving almost daily concerts at his store with his celebrated "Victor talking machine," and is attracting large crowds. To sit in the room with this machine wound up is equal to the best concert for enjoyment.

John Glisson the well-known Bostwick merchant was in town yesterday. He is just recovering from a quite severe illness. Mr. Glisson has just completed an addition to his store and will in future carry a much larger stock of goods.

Mrs. M. I. Phillips and little son, of Tarpon Springs, stopped over a part of Sunday and Monday in the city and were the guests of Mrs. J. G. Robinson. They were en route to their home after a visit of four months in Jamestown, N. Y.

Miss Lillie Layvrez who is now teaching school at Rodman, Fla., was in the city Saturday, being en route to her home at Silver Lake to spend Sunday with home folks. She was accompanied by Miss Kempton of Rodman.

Robert James was the only juror excused from service at this term of court. It was evidently explained to Judge Bullock that with Mr. James on the jury the whole caboodle of jurors, witnesses, lawyers and court attaches would fare hard for something to eat.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cato were in the city during the earlier days of the week. Mr. Cato was formerly manager of the Putnam house, and with Mrs. Cato is on his way down the coast coast in search of a promising winter hotel for lease. The will also likely visit Key West and Havana.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. James M. E. Church will give an apron and handkerchief bazaar on the evening of December 4th, at Mrs. Mooney's confectionary store. Light refreshments will also be on sale. A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. David Benbow are now residing permanently in this city. Mr. Benbow having accepted a position with Chris. Stanton at the Palatka Machine Works. This will be pleasing information to their many friends here, all of whom extend them the heartiest of greetings.

Miss Lillie Stanton gave a water party last Saturday to quite a number of young friends. The launch Mist carried the party several miles down the river and a landing made at the Robert's place, where a short time was spent pleasantly. The return trip was a nice one, and all the young people expressed themselves highly entertained.

The Guards have another dance scheduled for to-morrow (Friday) night, and a large number of young people are expected to be present. These dances are not given for the purpose of making money, but just to afford socially inclined young people a place to pass a pleasant evening. So go out and do your part and the Guards will do the rest.

Rev. Morton W. Spencer, A. M., of Gardfield, N. J., author of "The Missing Links, or The Anglo-Saxons, the Ten Tribes of Israel," is in the city this week. Dr. Spencer's book has attracted the attention and interest of thinkers and students of history in all parts of the country. The doctor attended the Wednesday evening service at the Baptist church and talked to the people.

The steamer Metamora of the Lucas Line of Ocklawaha river boats, was hauled out on Hanlon's marinas last Saturday and is undergoing general repairs, preparatory to going into service this season on the run between Palatka and Silver Springs. We understand the Metamora has been chartered by northern parties for a months cruise on the upper St. Johns river, which service she will have finished by the time to commence her regular runs on the famous Ocklawaha.

Hon. Neil M. Alfred of Ocala, states attorney-elect for this district, is in attendance upon the fall term of court as attorney for the defense in a criminal case. Mr. Alfred, it will be remembered, carried every county in the district in the recent primary, but this fact does not seem to change him from the same modest gentleman immediately preceding the primary and when he was after votes. Mr. Alfred is going to make one of the ablest, most conscientious prosecuting officers in the state, and if the News mistakes not, the people are someday going to lift him into a place of even greater responsibility.

Putnam at the State Fair.

A coach load of Palatkans and Putnam county people left here Wednesday morning over the G. S. & F. R'y., for Lake City to spend a day at the State Fair, and it is the verdict of them all that the exhibit is one of great credit to the state. The party is particularly well pleased with the varied showing made by Putnam county, and say that if it does not get first premium for the best county exhibit they will feel greatly disappointed, and that great credit is due Mr. F. H. Hafer, our special fair commissioner for his work in getting together such a creditable exhibit.

Go to Mrs. Puddy's, Central Lemon street, for chickens and eggs.

## BOSTOCK'S ANIMAL SHOW.

To Exhibit in Palatka, for Benefit of Library Association.

The Palatka Library Association has made arrangements with the world famous Bostock Animal Show to give exhibitions in this city next Monday and Tuesday afternoons and evenings. The tent will be erected on the Larkin lot on Front street next to the Presbyterian church.

This justly celebrated show is giving exhibitions this week at the State Fair and a week later will be one of the great attractions at Jacksonville's Gala Week carnival.

The Library Association has secured the entertainment for Palatka for two days between those state events and the people of this city will be enabled to witness one of the finest aggregations of trained animals ever on exhibition.



Referring to this exhibition, a northern paper says:

"Madame Pianka and her troupe of five male lions is truly a wonderful act. She is showing a masterly hand over the savage kings of the wilderness, in making them do her every bidding. One of the main features is in making them jump through a hoop of fire, of which it is known that a lion positively refuses to go near any blaze, and it is one method of using as a subjugation. Another scene is the supper scene, in which she feeds them raw meat from her hand, which shows a trait of daring, as there is no other trainer in the world, who has yet succeeded in being able to feed a lion raw meat in their cages, and come out alive. She has also given them a taste of ice cream, which they eat with a relish equal to a fair maiden of sixteen."

"Capt. La Page with his combination troupe of lions, tigers, bears, cloths, and bear hounds is also a very good feature of the show."

"Capt. La Varne who does a fifteen minute battle with Wallace the man-eating lion, who has killed seven trainers and created such a fury in New York a year ago, by getting in a livey stable and killing three horses before he was captured."

"Madame La Tanski with her den of monster East India snakes is a very pleasing performance."

Bostock's Show is well deserving of the very best patronage.

Played the Fool and Died.

It is a fact to be regretted that it frequently becomes necessary for an officer of the law to kill a negro, not because he is a negro, but because he will persist with masterly foolhardiness in acting the "nigger" and taking those desperate chances which a white man seldom takes because of his ability to foresee the consequences of the act.

Last week Chester Atwell, a negro confined in the county jail charged with setting fire to a building in Welaka, made an attempt to escape and as a result is now dead and properly interred. As deputy sheriff and jailer Jesse Hagan opened the outer door of the jail, Atwell rushed him, threw him down and seizing Hagan's pistol, made a break through the door. Hagan called to his wife to bring his rifle, with which he pursued the fleeing negro, calling upon him to halt. About in the rear of Grooms' bakery the negro turned on the deputy as if to fire, when Hagan pulled first and Atwell dropped, shot through the body. He died instantly. He was a powerful fellow.

A coronor's jury exonerated Hagan after hearing the testimony of witnesses. He simply realized that he was dealing with a desperate man and acted accordingly—and quick.

Will Interest Old and New County Commissioners.

The matter of when the term of a county commissioner commences has been worrying some of the newly elected county commissioners of Florida, and recently the question was submitted to Governor Jennings, who, after consultation with Secretary of State Crawford, has decided that this point is governed and settled by section 14 of article 13 of the Constitution which provides: "The terms of office of all county officers, unless otherwise provided, shall commence on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January next after their election."

Previous to this year county commissioners were appointed by the governor, but under the new law members of the board are now elected the same as other county officials and naturally take office the same time as the others, which is the same as is referred to in the governor's decision above quoted.

One, and possibly two, of our retiring county commissioners will feel some disappointment in this decision, as they had expected to continue in office until June as formerly.

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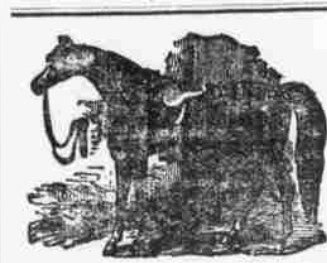
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